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**AMENDMENT AND  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

SIR:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time, a petition pursuant to 37  
C.F.R. 1.136(a) and authorization to charge the requisite fee being enclosed.

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 29, 2006, Applicants have submitted  
herewith a Request For Continued Examination and request that prior to Examination the  
application be amended as follows: